



## BEHOLD... A Child Is Born

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace, good will toward men.

ST. LUKE, 2:9-14

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## Decorating contest winners named

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club announces the winners in its Christmas Lighting and Decoration Contest for 1988.

Bay St. Louis residential entries in order of finish are: James Austin Sr., 1009 Old Spanish Trail; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hinson, 524 8th Street; and Norman Hader, 127 Washington Street.

Waveland entries in the same order are: John Hayward, 920 S. Beach Boulevard; and Charlotte Tartavouille, 1200 St. Joseph Street.

Honorable Mention was awarded to: Dennis Freeman, 571 Esterbrook Street; Charles Rutledge, 313 Victoria Street; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stiglet, 434 Main Street; Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Ladner, 506 Esplanade; and Charlene Moran, 221 Arcola.

Commercial entries were led by: Loraine Flower Shop, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, 317 Ulman Avenue; and Seymour Jewelry and Gifts, Market Town Shopping Center. Honorable Mention was given to Yesterdays Treasures, 209 Main Street, and Bay Renaissance, 209 1/2 Main Street.

The garden club and Mrs. Cindy Lowe, committee chairman, wish to thank everyone for their contribution to the competition.

## Officials angry, optimistic about ammo plant closing

BY D.C. HARVILL

Hancock County officials are surprised and angered by the recent announcement that the Mississippi Army Ammunition plant at Stennis Space Center would close by 1992. They remain optimistic, however, that an alternative will be found to prevent the loss of jobs and economic impact the closure would cause.

The reasons the Army gave for the closure include a reduced munitions budget and the need to manufacture a new generation of projectile that the plant is not geared to make.

A spokesman for Mason-

Chamberlain Incorporated, the contractor that operates the plant, has been quoted as saying the plant has already manufactured the new rounds to demonstrate to the Army that it could be done at the plant.

Earlier, a spokesman for the Army said, the plant may remain open only if buyers for the projectiles made there can be found among the U.S.'s foreign allies.

"The closure would be simply devastating to the local economy. You can believe we will be working with our state and federal elected officials to do everything we can to prevent the closure or find another way

to prevent the loss of those jobs," said Ronald Cuevas, Hancock County Board of Supervisors President.

"Hopefully, before they close it, they will find something else to do with it. A massive shutdown would be catastrophic. I'm going to do whatever I can to help keep it open. I don't know what, but I'll think of something," Waveland Mayor John Longo Jr. said.

The plant, completed in 1983 at a cost of \$434 million, employs approximately 1,700 from Hancock, Harrison and Pearl River counties and St. Tammany Parish, La.

An exact figure for the number of employees living in Hancock County was not available, but it has been estimated that between 350 and 400 live in the county.

The Army estimates it will cost \$50 million for the shutdown and \$13 million per year to maintain it after the shutdown.

Space Center information officer Myron Webb estimated that one-third of the plant's employees live in Pearl River County.

"My first reaction is that it's not over until the fat lady sings. We've got until 1992 so we have plenty of time to prepare for the closing. If it's going to cost that many jobs and cost that much to maintain after it's closed, I can't believe it's actually going to happen. There has to be an alternative found," said Chamber of Commerce Director Libby Roland.

"If this goes through it could push our unemployment rate into double digits. I'm shocked at the way the Army has handled this entire thing. As a tax-

payer I just can't believe that they've invested nearly half a billion dollars in the place and are now going to walk away from it. It is incumbent upon all the elected officials in the county and the state to find another use for the plant," Bay St. Louis Mayor Victor Frankiewicz Jr. said.

"This thing is going to be on the top of our shopping list when we go to Washington in February to pay a visit to our members of congress and the senate," said Port and Harbor Director Harold "Buz" Olsen referring to a lobbying trip a Hancock County delegation makes to the capitol each year.

"Fortunately," he continued, "they have let the cat out of the bag; now we have time to find an alternative. I don't think NASA or anyone else on the site (the space center) will willingly allow such a void to be created."

"I can't see the waste of the taxpayers money without trying to do something with the plant. You can bet your bottom dollar this county isn't going to sit still and allow it to happen without trying to prevent it."

He added that Hancock and Pearl River Counties might be able to create a coalition to help fight the closing.

"If it happens, it's going to be a bummer for the whole area, not just the Picayune and Bay-AMMO—Page 3A

## Florida woman killed

BY ELLIS CUEVAS

A 18-year-old Ocala, Fla., woman was killed when an auto in which she was a passenger collided with a CSXT freight at the Lakeshore Road Crossing Saturday morning.

Hancock County Medical Examiner Harold Stiglet, who identified the victim as Julia Martin, said the cause of the woman's death was multiple injuries.

Hancock County Sheriff Ronald Peterson said the driver of the car was Anthony Halkias, 22, also of Ocala, and he was taken to Hancock Medical Center by Mobile Medic Ambulance Service.

Officers said Halkias reportedly received a punctured lung, cuts and abrasions and was scheduled to undergo surgery.

Peterson stated, "The train's engineer did not even know about the accident until the

train was stopped by a request from his office when it had reached Henderson Point."

The freight was traveling east and operators found green paint on the first boxcar behind the train's four engines, as

Peterson stated, "a distance of about 250 feet from the train's front."

The victim, who was pronounced dead at the scene by Stiglet, was dragged approximately 109 feet from the

crossing. The auto, a 1978 Chevette, was traveling south on Lakeshore Road and the operator tried to stop, but plowed into the train, leaving the vehicle

DEATH—Page 8A



CAR STRIKES TRAIN—One person was killed and another injured when this 1978 Chevette ran into a CSXT Freight at the Lakeshore Road Crossing Saturday morning, according to a witness. A 18-year-old Ocala, Fla. woman, Julia Martin, a passenger, was killed. Hancock County Sheriff Ronald Peterson checks the damaged auto. The driver of the vehicle, Anthony Halkias, was injured in the accident, Peterson said. He was taken to Hancock Medical Center where officers said he had a punctured lung, cuts and abrasions. (Echo staff photo by Ellis Cuevas)

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**GERALD McDONALD**  
**EVERETT MILLER**  
**ANNIE MIXON**  
**SANTORIA OZENE**  
**LOUIS SPERRIER JR.**  
**JEFFERSON VURDIN JR.**

**MARTHA ADAMS**  
 Mrs. Fred (Martha) Adams, 83, died Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1988, in Gulfport.

Mrs. Adams, a native of Long Beach, had resided in Lake Charles, Baton Rouge and New Orleans before returning to the Coast 25 years ago. She had attended Gulf Park College in Long Beach and was a member of St. Peter By-the-Sea Episcopal Church in Gulfport and the Telephone Pioneers. She was preceded in death by her husband, Fred Roy Adams.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. C. D. (Martha) Taylor Jr. of Pass Christian; a brother, Bill Kerr of St. Francisville, La., and three grandchildren.

Services were conducted Friday at St. Peter By-the-Sea Episcopal Church in Gulfport followed by burial in Evergreen Cemetery in Gulfport.

Riemann Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

**RUSSELL ALBA**  
 Russell Jennings Alba, 92, of Waveland, died Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1988, in Bay St. Louis. Arrangements are incomplete at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

**OSCAR GARCIA**  
 Oscar Garcia, 28, of Seguin, Texas, died Thursday, Dec. 22, 1988, in Hancock County.

The body was sent from Edmond Fahey Funeral Home to Goetz Funeral Home in Seguin for services and burial.

**WILLIAM KITT**  
 William Kitt, of Bay St. Louis, died Thursday, Dec. 22, 1988, in Bay St. Louis.

Arrangements are incomplete at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

**JOHN LATINO**  
 John Antonious Latino, 69, Long Beach, died Monday, Dec. 19, 1988, in Gulfport.

Mr. Latino, a native of Hammond, La., was a member of St. Thomas Catholic Church in Long Beach. He was a retired heavy-duty equipment inspector at the Naval Construction Battalion Center in Gulfport. He was an Army veteran of World War II, American Legion Post No. 77 in Waveland and

the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Mr. Latino was a life member of the Cecil R. Ruddock Post No. 5931 in Pass Christian, where he served as commander twice, quartermaster four times and all-star quartermaster once.

He was a volunteer firefighter in Pass Christian, where he served one year as Volunteer Fire Chief. He was past president of the local AFGE No. 2053, past president of the Gulfport CBO Credit Union and chairman of the Civilian Welfare Association.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Anne Latino of Long Beach; a son, Lt. Col. Thomas J. Latino of Athens, Greece; a daughter, Phyllis J. McGee, of Weir; two brothers, Russell Latino of Tickfaw, La., and Charles Latino Jr. of Folsom, La.; six sisters, Mrs. Marie T. Ruspoli of DeLisle, Mrs. Eva Rose Ruspoli and Mrs. Jennie Armato, both of Pass Christian, Mrs. Angelina Armato and Mrs. Elizabeth Scardina, both of New Orleans, and Mrs. Josephine Fasone of Chalmette, La.; and one grandchild.

Visitation was Thursday evening at the Long Beach chapel of Riemann Funeral Home, with recitation of the rosary at 7 p.m. A procession left the funeral home at 9:45 a.m. Friday to go to St. Thomas Catholic Church for services. Burial followed in Gulf Pines Memorial Gardens in Long Beach.

**GERALD McDONALD**  
 Gerald O. McDonald, 57, of Lubbock, Texas, died Wednesday,

Dec. 21, 1988, in Lubbock.

Mr. McDonald was a native of Gulfport and had lived in Lubbock since 1954. He received a degree from Louisiana State University and was a licensed real estate broker. Mr. McDonald was a member of the Society of Real Estate Appraisers and had lectured at Texas Tech University and had articles published in Analyst Magazine. He was employed with the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation for 31 years.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn Castner McDonald of Lubbock; two daughters, Rhonda Buchanan of Roscoe, Texas, and Rebecca Skiles of Canyon, Texas; two sisters, Anita Powell of Alabama and Aline Royalls of Dallas; two brothers, Bill McDonald of Gulfport and Marvin McDonald of Picayune, and five grandchildren.

Graveside services were Friday at Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park in Lubbock.

Rix Funeral Home in Lubbock was in charge of arrangements.

**EVERETT MILLER**  
 Everett Lee Miller, 71, Bay St. Louis, died Monday, Dec. 12, 1988, in Bay St. Louis.

Private graveside services were conducted Dec. 22 at St. Joseph Cemetery in Rotten Bayou.

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And when the journey brings them to that distant lighted shore,

They'll be greeted by the outstretched arms of those who've gone before.

And people they have known and loved and voices from the past

Will be singing out the welcome news that they are home at last.

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 and Sister

## Card of Thanks

May we extend our heartfelt thanks to those of you who expressed your sympathy in so many thoughtful ways during our recent bereavement. Your kindnesses have meant much to us.

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## Card of Thanks

The family of Woodrow W. Favre wishes to thank the staff of Hancock Medical Center, Mobile Medic Home Health nurses, American Legion and law enforcement officers for their help.

We also wish to thank our friends, relatives and neighbors for the many kind expressions of sympathy.

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# OBITUARIES

## ANNIE MIXON

Miss Annie Mae Mixon, 71, Picayune, died Sunday, Dec. 18, 1988, in Hattiesburg.

Miss Mixon was a native of Rankin County and a lifelong resident of Picayune. She was a member of Pilgrim Bound Baptist Church in Picayune where she served as a member of the Pastor's Aide Club, the decorating and program committee and the choir. She was a retired teacher and assistant principal in the Picayune school system for 42 years and a lifetime member of the Mississippi PTA.

Survivors include a son, Freddie Bogan and a sister, Mrs. Mabel Bogan, both of Picayune.

Services were conducted Monday at 2:30 p.m. at Pilgrim Baptist Church in Picayune where friends called from noon until service time. Burial was in Picayune Cemetery.

Baylous Funeral Home in Picayune was in charge of arrangements.

## SANTORIA OZENE

Santoria Chantel Ozene, infant daughter of Julie Ozene of Pass Christian and Emile McGee of Gulfport, died Thurs-

day, Dec. 22, 1988, in Gulfport.

She also is survived by her grandparents, John and Thelma Ozene of Pass Christian and Thomas and Martha McGee of Gulfport, and a sister, Drena Ozene of Pass Christian.

Services were Friday at St. Stephen Church in Pass Christian with burial in the church cemetery.

Lockett's Mortuary in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

## LOUIS SPERRIER JR.

Louis P. Sperrier Jr., 92, Pass Christian, died Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1988, in Biloxi.

Mr. Sperrier was a native of Pass Christian. He was a

machinist and a member of St. Paul Catholic Church in Pass Christian.

Services were conducted Thursday at Riemann Funeral Home in Pass Christian, where friends called an hour before service time. Burial followed in St. Paul Cemetery in Pass Christian.

## JEFFERSON VURDIN JR.

Jefferson J. Vurdin Jr., 38, of Pearlinton, died Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1988, in Slidell, La.

Mr. Vurdin was a tug boat captain and a Catholic.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Shirley Vurdin of Pearlinton; four sons, Jefferson J. Vurdin, George Kevin Vurdin, Timothy Donald Vurdin and James Christopher Vurdin, all of Pearlinton; his mother, Bertha Mae Vurdin of Saucier; three sisters, Francis Ussery of Harvey, La., Jane Wilcox of Marrero, La., and Linda Campbell of Saucier; and two brothers, Phillip Vurdin of Delisle and George Vurdin of Bush, La.

The Rev. Alton Smith officiated at services Saturday at 11 a.m. at Pearlinton Method-

## Ammo.....

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Waveland area but the whole Coast. As sure as the sun rises tomorrow we will band together to fight it. You can rest assured we're going to get into this thing

with both feet," said Paul Lagarde, Director of the Greater Picayune Area Chamber of Commerce.

Lagarde said jobs created by the new generation shuttle engines to be tested at the center might mitigate the loss of jobs at the plant, but I had hoped we could build on what we have now."

ist Church with burial in Pearlinton Cemetery.

Moore Funeral Home in Wiggins is in charge of arrangements.

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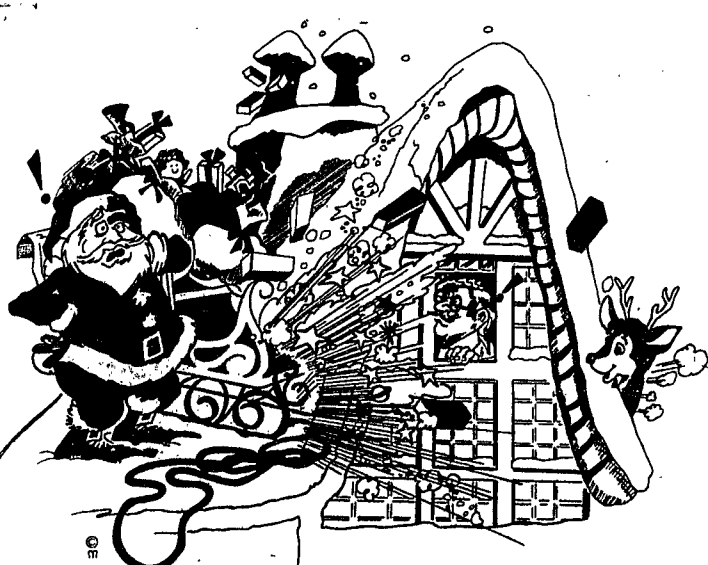
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**"QUOTABLE QUOTES"**

By Ellis C. Cuevas



Today the birth of Jesus is celebrated throughout the world by Christians.

Christmas has a special meaning to me this year because in January, Jane and I were fortunate to have visited the Holy Land.

I have always had a feeling of wanting to visit the areas where Jesus was born, but never thought it would become a reality.

To have been on a pilgrimage to Bethlehem and view the site tradition says Jesus was born is very hard to describe. The special feeling of being there where some 2,000 years ago Angels announced the birth of a Savior.

As we looked across the fields we could see shepherds along with donkeys and dogs tending the flocks of sheep mixed with goats who were grazing along hills.

The scenes are probably a duplicate of the time of Jesus, with the people and animals being the ancestors of those in his time.

As our group of 40 or so sang hymns of praise in a small chapel on a hill overlooking the Shepherds' Field, I wondered how our singing compared to that of the Angels when they announced the birth of Jesus.

(There was a trainee group of tour guides waiting their turn to visit the small chapel while we were singing and several wanted to know where our choir was from. The group had only been together for some five days from the time we had left New York and were from about seven states.)

Bethlehem today is a city of 30,000 with only a few still working the fertile terraces on the hillsides, some shepherds, and a good number make religious objects for pilgrims, mainly from olive wood and mother of pearl.

Spending seven days in the Holy Land was a great pilgrimage.

I have had many friends tell me that we were taking a chance by visiting the Holy Land. I would love to go there again in the future.

May the true spirit of Christmas be with each of you.

**Christmas Blessings to Everyone****Common Cause announces support of reorganization**

Gov. Ray Mabus' plan to streamline Mississippi state government has won the support of 'Common Cause, a citizens' lobbying organization.

Common Cause field director Roberta Madden announced that members of the watchdog group will urge their legislators to support the plan to reorganize the executive branch.

"The people will benefit from a more modern system with more accountability built in," she said.

She said the Common Cause state board of directors voted in a meeting this month to support

the proposal as a way of enhancing responsible government and saving tax dollars. The governor has estimated a saving of \$31.9 million by cutting out unnecessary bureaucracy.

The citizens' group will also lobby for a constitutional convention and for allowing a simple majority to pass school bond elections instead of the currently required 60 percent.

Madden urged citizens to discuss these issues with their state legislators before the opening of the session in January.

**A Christmas Prayer**

O God our loving Father, help us rightly to remember the birth of Jesus, that we may share in the glad song of the angels, the gladness of the shepherds and the worship of the Wise Men.

Close the door of hate and open the door of love all over the world.

Deliver us from evil by the blessing that Christ brings, and teach us to be merry with clear hearts.

May the Christmas morning make us happy to be thy children and the Christmas evening bring us to our beds with grateful thoughts, forgiving, and forgiving, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

—Robert Louis Stevenson

**Bill proposes elderly protection in nursing homes**

Mississippi's nursing home residents may soon be offered more protection than ever before under legislation proposed by Attorney General Mike Moore and State Representative Ken Stribling of Jackson.

The proposed bill, which would make the abuse or exploitation of nursing home residents a felony, "has been a long time coming, and will finally make the law fit the crime," Moore said.

Moore said that Mississippi currently has legislation on the books that will protect individuals from maltreatment if they are patients in some facilities. Nursing homes, however, are exempt from that legislation, Moore said.

Moore said he feels that there needs to be a uniform and positive approach to this state's problem.

"A recent report by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services points out that the instances of abuse and neglect in Mississippi nursing homes are six times greater than the national average. This bill provides a positive, common sense approach for protecting our senior citizens who reside in nursing homes," Moore said.

The proposed legislation will make an impact in three ways. First, it would outlaw abuse and exploitation of nursing home residents, providing penalties of up to 30 years in prison and a \$5,000 fine. Second, it will require the reporting of all such abuse or exploitation by any worker or professional who has witnessed or knows of such activity. A "whistle blower" clause will provide immunity for the person reporting the action, and will prevent firing or intimidation. Third, the bill would allow legal action to be

taken against nursing home owners or operators who negligently hire employees who later engage in abuse or neglect of residents.

The bill is based on model legislation by the National Association of Medicaid Fraud Control Units in conjunction with the Patient Abuse Working Group of the National Association of Attorneys General.

This model bill was drafted by the groups when it concluded that there was no uniform approach to the problem of nursing home residence abuse throughout the 50 states.

Stribling said that the intent of the proposed legislation is nothing new.

"The new bill will work hand in hand with the Vulnerable Adults legislation that's already on the books in Mississippi. But the Vulnerable Adults Bill excludes nursing homes.

We feel that due to the unique nature of the nursing home setting, and due to the particular vulnerability of our senior citizens who reside in them, it is time to seek legislation that protects them entirely," he said.

As for expected opposition, Moore and Stribling said they will be willing to cooperate in the fine tuning of the bill, but they stated that the main intent must stay intact. They also said that the bill will help the image of Mississippi nursing homes by lifting any perception of ongoing abuse which may exist.

"Only the best can come out of this," Stribling said. If we need to, we will have stiffer penalties we can apply. If we don't have to use the law, then the bill will clear up the perception of Mississippi's nursing home situation.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR****Army commander says Echo's Ammo Plant story untrue**

To the Editor:

I would like to answer some of the allegations a Mason Chamberlain Inc. (MCI) employee made in Mr. Harvill's article Thursday, Dec. 15. The allegations are not true and the readers may be misled or misinformed because of it.

MCI is not producing an abnormally high number of faulty grenades. Four grenades were split during a loading operation and were reported by MCI to the U.S. Army. MCI has produced millions of quality grenades this past year which were bought by the U.S. Army.

The reason we stopped accepting product was because four split grenades in a few days is unusual and we waited to find out what was causing the problem.

This does not mean the product since Dec. 5 is bad. If records and an inspection reveal no split grenades, we will buy the product, which will probably happen.

MCI did not gamble on using bad product in an attempt to move bad product down the line.

I remind you that MCI reported the problem to the U.S. Army; it was not a case of the U.S. Army catching MCI with split grenades.

The contract to operate this plant is not open for bid. MCI will not be removed as the contractor, nor is the U.S. Army putting any pressure on MCI to remove or replace anyone.

MCI does have a contract to produce a fixed amount of projectiles. If they are unable to deliver the product on time, they will deliver it at a later date without penalty. This is because MCI is on a firm fixed price contract and the cost to the Government will not change.

Please accept the above information as a response to the allegations the employee made.

If you or any members of your staff receive such allegations in the future, feel free to call or come out here to check into them.

Sincerely,  
Stephen C. Zakrzewski  
Lieutenant Colonel,  
U.S. Army  
Commanding

**Writer expresses his views on 'Public Trust Tidelands'**

Dear Editor:

There may be mixed blessings in store for the very few who may be occupying lands that may fall within 'Public Trust Tidelands' in coastal Mississippi.

The following might be considered before you go down the garden path with the same type developers, promoters and surveyors who got you where you are!

1. Your case was lost after 15 years of litigation that ended in "Bambini Cinque, U.S. Supreme Court, 1988." So why waste money?

2. There is now a federal commission delegated to do nationally what Mississippi would do; halt encroachment, recover violated wetlands, and restore those wetlands to productive links between aquatic and marine ecologies.

3. The constituents of Mississippi's 'upland' legislators are not going to be very sympathetic, given that a ruling by the U.S. Customs Service restored Mississippi's sovereignty over

the Mississippi Sound when coastal courts and law enforcement abrogated their duty.

4. You may get out now before you have to pay for surface water collection and grinder pumps that would keep your sewerage and other effluents out of public waterways.

5. Mississippi might buy marginally violate lands to establish a 'buffer' along vital marshes, bayous, bays and the Mississippi Sound... Yours perhaps.

6. You might buy on higher ground before promoters and developers run the price out of reason.

7. Serious aquatic, marine, and ocean scientists and ecologists suggest strongly that a five to ten-mile pullback of human occupancy of all water-fronts may be required to avoid the demise of the oceans...and life on this planet. By acting prudently now you might be the first firsts who don't become last.

Lee Paul  
Waveland

**Foster Children's Christmas made brighter by caring public**

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Social Services staff of the Hancock County Department of Public Welfare, I would like to express our deep gratitude and thanks to the many individuals and groups who responded to our letter for help this Christmas.

The response was overwhelming to say the least and I know will be greatly appreciated by the families who were helped.

The children may only know that Santa was very loving and thoughtful this year and granted them fulfillment of dreams they could only hope for.

Those of us who work here know that very generous, caring people took time out from their busy lives to help someone less fortunate than themselves.

These people may never see the smile of joy on Christmas morning, but be assured that someone knows of your generosity.

Many thanks again, and our sincere thank you from all of us at Social Services for a job well done.

Sincerely,  
Celeste Proulx  
Foster Home/Adoption Worker  
Hancock County Department  
of Public Welfare

**THE PEOPLE'S BUSINESS**

From the Mississippi Economic Council

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Mississippi's tax capacity is the lowest in the nation, yet the state is second in the Southeast in terms of the tax burden placed on its citizens, according to evaluations made by the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

The ACIR, an organization with members from federal, state and local governments, and from the private sector, has up dated its evaluation of the tax capacity and the tax effort of the 50 states. The organization compared revenues from 24 tax sources to a state's wealth available for taxation.

According to the study, Mississippi has the lowest tax capacity in the nation with 69 percent of the national average, yet is second only to South Carolina among southeastern states in terms of tax effort.

The state's tax climate is just one area that will be explored at the Mississippi Economic Council's Second Annual Economic Development Summit Conference, Dec. 15 at the Downtown Holiday Inn in Jackson.

There are a number of options available to reverse the trend of an increasing tax burden; it's only a matter of taking the time to examine the situation and enact some changes if necessary.

If Mississippi is going to strive for significant economic advancement, then, perhaps, state officials should reexamine the role taxation plays in the state's business climate. Perhaps then we can begin to close the gap between the tax burden and the taxpayers' ability to pay.

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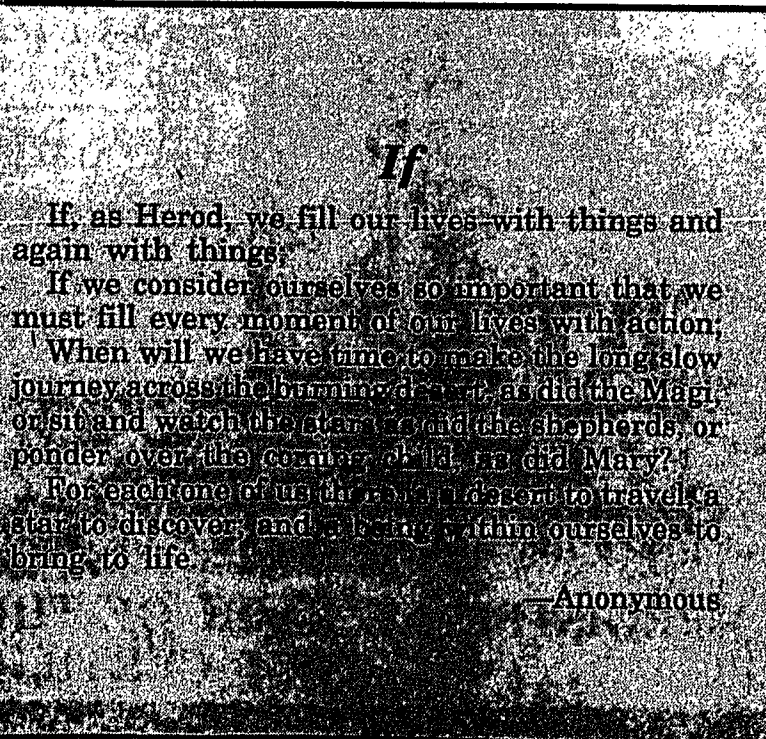


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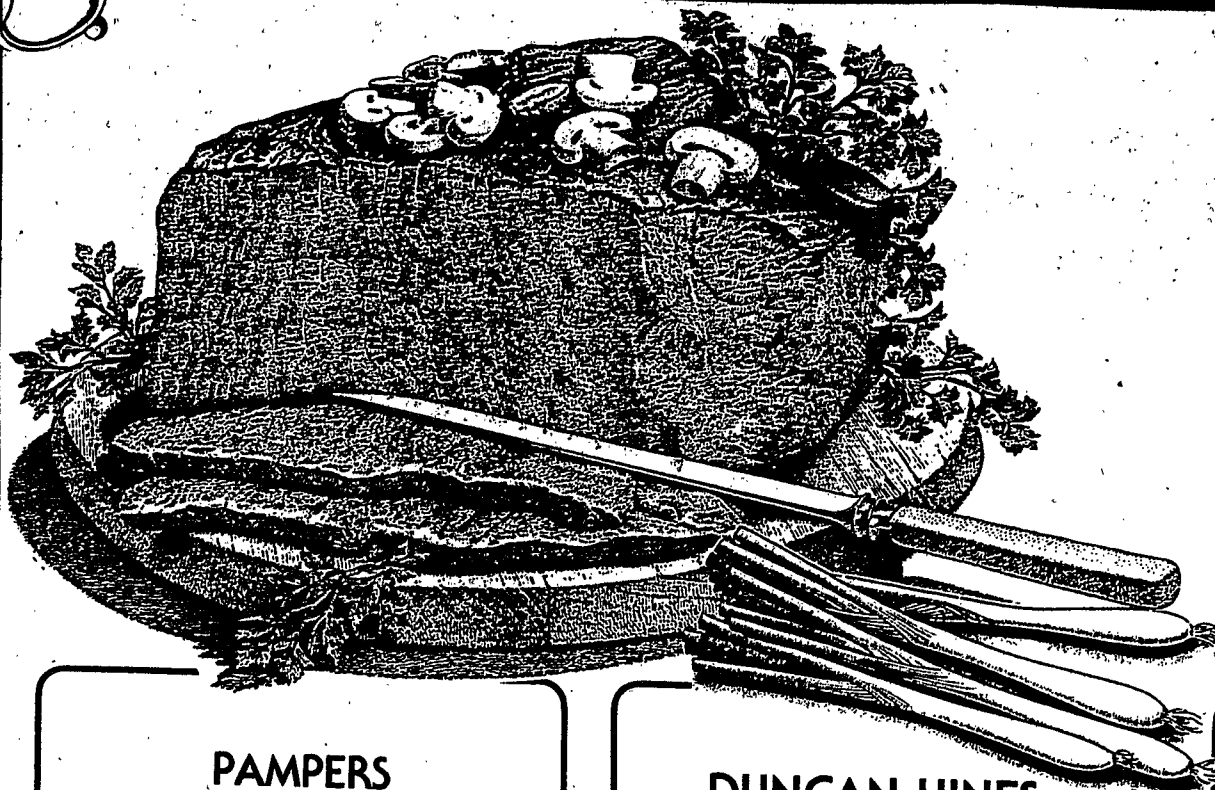
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## COOKING UP A STORM

By Katy McGuire  
Caire

One of my earliest memories of Christmas is the mammoth cut crystal bowl shimmering in the candlelight, heaped high with its heavenly ambrosia, on Christmas Eve at Grandmother Daly's home—and then, again, on Christmas Day, there was another heaping bowl at Grandmother Barrett's home.

My grandmothers served their Christmas time ambrosia at different times, and with slightly different ingredients, you see. We all like to add our special touches!

One of the earliest fruit recipes in America is that justly famed southern and Creole dessert, especially traditional at the Yuletide. Ambrosia, known in Greek mythology as the nectar of the gods, giving immortality to all who partook of it, is just as much a symbol of Christmas in the South as the Christmas tree and the holly wreath.

There are many versions of

ambrosia, the purists insisting upon only orange slices, moist coconut and sugar, with the more adventuresome adding sliced bananas, pineapple, chopped nuts and what have you. I know of one cook who pours a bottle of champagne over the mixture before she serves it, and still another who pours a bottle of gingerale over.

My Grandmother Barrett drizzled sherry over her ambrosia, and my Grandmother Daly, ever more adventurous, added green grapes, along with cherries, making a colorful as well as flavorful combination.

Here's my recipe for  
**AMBROSIA**  
8 to 1 doz. sweet oranges  
Powdered sugar  
1 cup or more flaked or shredded coconut (moist)  
Peel the oranges, removing all the white outer membrane, and cut into slices or sections as you wish. Place a layer in your nicest clear bowl, sprinkle with

powdered sugar and then with the coconut. Sprinkle with a little orange juice, and then start all over again with another layer of oranges, sugar, coconut and juice—and then again if you've space in the bowl and need a larger quantity. (10 to 12 servings.)  
Merry Christmas!  
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## Hancock School Board may invoke new law

Under Mississippi's new bidder preference law, the Hancock County School Board could award a bid on the district's new high school to a Hattiesburg firm.

On Tuesday, the board took five bid proposals on the school, expected to cost a total of about \$7.5 million, under advisement. The apparent low base bid was \$7,554,000 from Lincoln Builders of Rushton, La.

However, the bidder prefer-

ence law, designed to improve the likelihood that Mississippi contractors rather than out-of-state builders will be awarded contracts by government entities, gives the board the option of adding five percent to the two proposals from Louisiana firms.

Doing so would change the low bidders to Mac's Construction Company of Hattiesburg, which submitted a base bid of \$7,700,000. The five percent would increase Lincoln's bid to

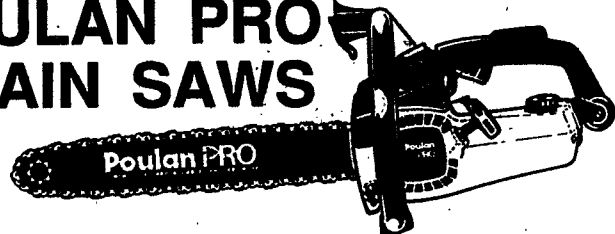
about \$7,931,700.

The board has turned the matter over to its attorney, Joseph Gex, for consideration, and is expected to meet again in about two weeks to make a decision.

The other three base bids were from James Reeves Construction of Laurel, \$7,749,670; Polk Construction of Columbia, \$7,990,000; and Gibbs Construction of Harvey, La., \$8,700,000.



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## Pay hikes to greet new Bay officials

BY D.C. HARVILL

The Bay St. Louis City Council voted into effect Tuesday night a 30 percent pay hike for the mayoral candidate who takes office in July and a 100 percent raise for their own successors.

The current mayor, Victor Frankiewicz Jr., makes \$30,500 per year, the lowest figure for any city in the state with the mayor-council form of government and a full-time mayor and less than any city department head except Fire Chief Andrew Lizana.

The new mayor will be paid a \$39,780 base salary and receive an annual cost-of-living raise based on the Consumer Price Index.

Earlier this month, Frankiewicz had proposed that the mayor receive \$45,000 annually, but the adopted figure, according to City Clerk Edward Favre, is an average of salaries suggested by council members in a recent pay hike workshop.

Frankiewicz, who had indicated he might not run for reelection if the office were not given a raise, and former mayor Larry Bennett, under whose administration the last raise was granted, are the only candidates who have announced

their intentions to run in the May mayor's race.

The new council members will be paid \$600 per month, with the council president making an extra \$50.

The current councilmen receive \$300 a month in compensation.

The council originally had considered raising the salaries to \$500 but, on the recommendation of District Three Councilman Charles Johnson, the figure was raised to \$600.

At the workshop, Johnson, an employee of G.E. Plastics (formerly Borg-Warner) who has to miss work to attend council meetings, said he might not be in office to benefit from the hike "but I think whoever is should get it."

"I don't think councilmen should make any money on the office, but I don't think they should lose any either. I don't think many people realize everything that's involved in this office. It takes money out of your own pocket," District Four Councilman John Wilkerson said at the workshop.

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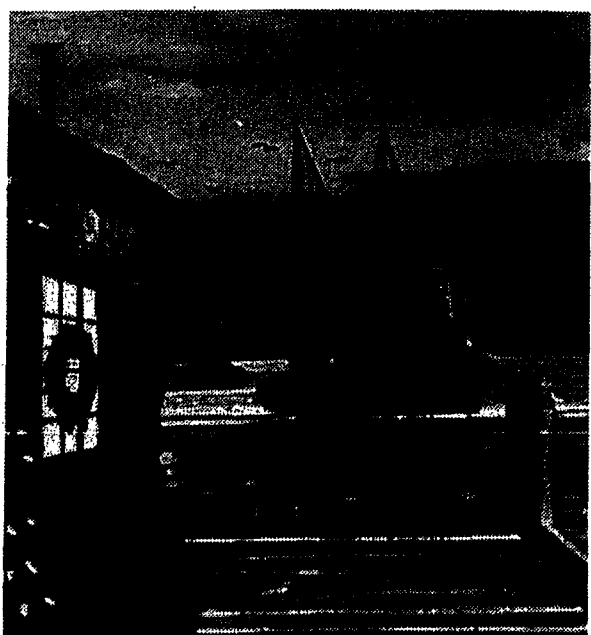
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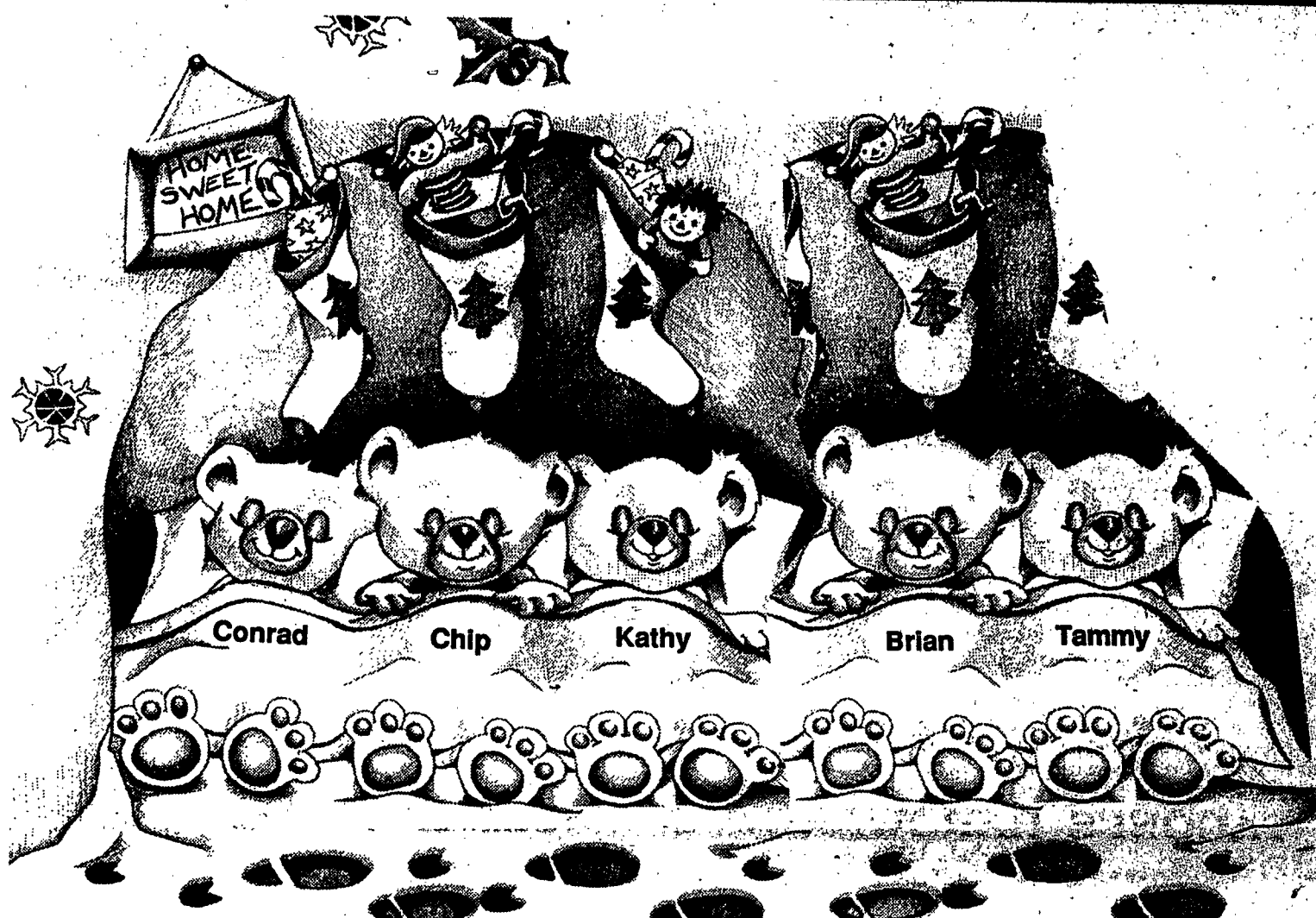


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## Mauffray joins field in councilman election

Conrad Mauffray of Bay St. Louis has announced his candidacy for councilman-at-large in the Jan. 17 special election.

Mauffray, 58, has been employed at Coast Electric, where he is presently comptroller, for 36 years. He is also a licensed real estate salesman. The candidate is a Hancock County native and a graduate of Kiln High School. He is also a graduate of the International Accountants Society Correspondence School in Chicago and has done additional coursework in accounting at Loyola University. In addition, Mauffray has completed course in law at University of Mississippi and in real estate at University of Southern Mississippi.

Mauffray has served as an executive director of Hancock County United Way since 1979; a member of the Private Industry Council serving Hancock and Harrison counties; chief executive officer of Retired Senior Volunteers Program; member and general treasurer of the board of Trustees of Hancock Medical Center for 20 years; and member and past president of the Board of Directors of the Statewide Electric Power Association Credit Union.

The candidate is also a member and past secretary of Wave-

land Civic Association, which honored him in 1983 by electing him Grand Marshal of the 1983 St. Patrick's Day Activities.

He is also a member of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, Bay St. Louis Rotary Club, St. Stanislaus Side-line Club, Senior Citizens of Waveland Inc., and Hancock County Chapter of American Association of Retired People.

Mauffray has served on the Bay St. Louis Municipal Election Commission for 16 years; member of Hancock County Democratic Executive Commit-

tee for 12 years; and received the Outstanding Service Award for service from the Waveland American Legion Post 77 in Waveland. He was also honored as king of Clermont Harbor 1978 St. Ann's Carnival Ball.

He is also a member of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, where he is a 40-year member of the choir and a past member of the parish council.

He is married to the former Marie Parker and they have five children, Lex Mauffray, Debbie Mauffray, Lynne Holt, Donna Holt and Charles Mauffray, and 11 grandchildren.

"I want to provide the leadership, good planning, positive thinking and cooperation needed, so that Bay St. Louis will continue to be the ideal place to live and rear a family,"

the candidate said.

"I believe we can do the things we need to do to improve the quality of life for our citizens and still stay within the present budget structure."

Mauffray stated that among his particular interests are continued improvement of the edu-

cational system, fighting drugs and crime, providing and promoting better recreational facilities for youth, augmenting tourist trade with small, non-polluting business that will provide local employment, and promoting cultural awareness and related facilities.



CONRAD MAUFFRAY

## Texas man dies in I-10 accident

BY D.C. HARVILL

A Texas man is dead after a three car accident on Interstate 10 in early morning fog Thursday.

An 18-wheeler, driven by Boyd Hogan of Pass Christian, traveling east bound apparently swerved to avoid another 18-wheeler, driven by John Burton of Sallisaw, Okla., but clipped its rear and jackknifed, blocking the entire eastbound side of the highway, according to Mississippi Highway Patrol

Troop Commander Richard Smith.

Oscar Garcia, 28, of Sequin, Texas, died from head injuries sustain when the pickup in which he was driving ran under the 18-wheeler, according Smith.

Passengers in the pickup were Arturo Luna of Seguin, Tex. and Ivan Evans of Natchez. They both suffered laceration to the head.

Mississippi Highway Patrol reconstructionist Herchel Ladner was called in Thursday to help determine exactly how the accident happened.

The accident is being blamed on fog and high speed.

## Death.....

Continued from Page 1A about 86 feet from the impact, Peterson said.

There was a witness to the accident. "He was visiting the area for the holidays, and was a pedestrian in the area," Peterson commented.

Parts and contents of the totaled vehicle were thrown about the area. Sheriff's deputies Bill Pepperman and Ray Billeaud, who were at the scene said, "Apparently the victim was thrown from the auto at impact and dragged alongside the tracks."

James Howell, CSXT assistant roadmaster, assisted at the accident scene, Peterson reported.

Halckias formerly resided in the Lakeshore area, officers said.

Hancock Criminal Investigators Glen Strong and Nathan Hoda are in charge of the case, Peterson said.

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## Getting home safely

### Road safety for happy holidays

"To be home for the holidays" —that's the wish that tops many Christmas lists, but if being home means traveling by car, it may be a dangerous wish.

Last year, 28 people lost their lives on Mississippi roads during the designated Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year holiday periods. For family and friends of the victims, the dream of Christmas at home turned into a nightmare.

Lt. Col. Billie T. Hughes, assistant chief of patrol with the Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol, said the primary recommen-

dation he makes to travellers is "don't drink and drive."

"We particularly target drunken drivers, not only during the holidays but year-round," Hughes said. "Statistics show they are involved in more than half of our fatal crashes."

In Mississippi, a blood alcohol content level (BAC) of .10 percent is high enough to charge a driver with driving under the influence. According to Hughes, an average-sized person consuming about four beers in an hour or less could register .10 percent in a BAC test.

The second life-saving recommendation made by Hughes is for everyone in the car to wear seat belts. It is a Mississippi state law that all children under the age of 2 must be buckled in an approved child restraint device.

"I know of only one accident where a properly restrained child was killed," Hughes said. "I know of several where a properly restrained child was the only one to survive."

He said buckling up is not a law for adults—just good sense. Other common sense safety tips include driving defensively, always looking ahead and down the road and always being on the alert for drunken or careless drivers.

Travellers can report accidents or suspected drunken drivers by asking the telephone operator to contact the nearest highway patrol station.

"Highway patrol stations do accept collect calls if they are to report accidents or violations," Hughes said.

"The caller must give their name and tell the operator the nature of the call, but it will be put through collect."

Holiday travellers, especially those traveling at night, should always inform someone of their expected arrival time and planned travel route.

"Always check car belts, hoses and tires before you start on a long trip," Hughes said.

"If you should have trouble on the road, try to get the vehicle off the road and clear of traffic. Put up the hood, turn on the flashers or do something to let others know you are in trouble."

Hughes said some MHSP officers will be patrolling in cars without the large blue light on top, but these cars will have blue light in the grill or on the dash and an MHSP decal on the car.

"Any officer pulling cars over for violations or writing tickets will be in uniform," Hughes said.

For drivers in a hurry this year, Hughes warned that aircraft will be used to spot speeding or careless drivers, and that 27 state patrol cars, scattered throughout the state, will be equipped with VASCAR units.

These units determine the speed of vehicles without the use of radar, thereby rendering 'fuzzbusters' or radar detectors worthless.

"If drivers still believe getting there fast is worth the risks, they better add cash to their Christmas wish list."

Hughes said minimum ticket amounts are between \$40 and \$50 with excess speeding tickets costing \$100 or more.

Merry  
Christmas!



**SPECIAL SANTAS**—The employees of Hancock Bank's Bay-90 Branch provided an entire Christmas for a deserving family of four. The group purchased a Christmas tree and decorations, gifts for each family member in addition to a traditional dinner. Those in photo from left, Joyce Lee, branch manager; Melessa Bradley, assistant head teller; and J'Don Bunol, head teller. (Staff photo by Janet McQueen).

### WLOX plans tri-county holiday blood drive

WLOX-TV and the American Red Cross will be sponsoring their annual holiday blood drive on Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

To make donating blood more convenient during this critical time of the year, WLOX will have blood drive sites set up in each of the three Coastal counties.

Donors may give blood in Harrison County at the WLOX studios on DeBays Road; in Hancock County at the Coast Electric Power Offices in the Crow Room on Hwy. 90 and Main Street in Bay St. Louis and in Jackson County at Gulf Coast Chevrolet-Nissan on 14th Street in Pascagoula.

"The week between Christmas and New Years is one of the most critical times of the year for blood collections," commented Liz Gaulke, donor resources consultant, American Red Cross. "Many businesses are closed, people are out of town or 'too busy' with holiday plans and our collections fall off," remarked Gaulke.

The need for an adequate blood supply is constant and usage may actually increase at this time of the year, especially in a heavily travelled area like the Gulf Coast.

"Patients in local hospitals do not stop using blood just because it's a holiday," Gaulke said. "That's why we depend on groups like WLOX to help us prevent any serious shortages in the blood supply," concluded Gaulke.

To donate blood you must be 17 or older, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health. There is no upper age limit for giving blood.

On Dec. 28, give a gift that will mean life to others. It only takes about an hour to donate

and it might be the best gift you give someone this holiday season.



**TEEN BOARD DONATION**—Getting ready to play Santa are, bottom row, from left, Anita Van Scoter, Malise Marchal, Leigh Ann Stafford, Beth Holleman; middle row, Holly Hester; back row, Julie Rutherford, Kathy Carpenter, Angie Clark and Amy Power. These girls are members of The Princess Shoppe Teen Board. They are pictured at their Dec. 10 meeting with a sleigh full of toys donated by them and their fellow members. The toys will be distributed through The Main Street Methodist Church to an 'Angel Tree Outreach' of Chuck Colson's Prison Fellowship. In addition, other toys will be donated to six children at North Bay Elementary School.



**SANTA ARRIVES BY WATER**—Santa Claus used a different method of transportation recently in Jourdan River Isles as he used a boat to bring toys and candy to neighborhood children. His visit was sponsored by the Jourdan River Isles Improvement Association. Emile Stieffel, association president, furnished Santa with the boat. From left are Santa's stand-in, Jim Norris; Sandy Norris; Donna Stieffel and Clyde Richardson.



**SANTA VISITS** with local children after arriving by boat in Jourdan River Isles. With Santa's stand-in, Jim Norris, are Chrystal Stieffel, left, and Amanda Sires.

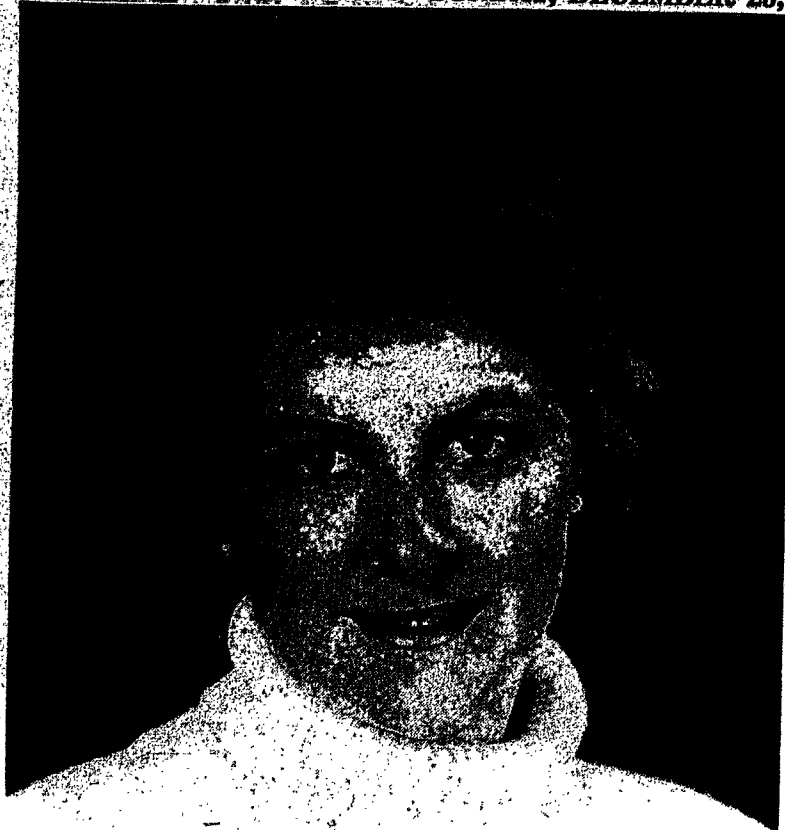


**DIRECTORS AND NOMINATING COMMITTEE**—Hancock County American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1114 directors for 1989 and nominating committee members for 1990 officers and directors were installed on Monday. Those in photo, from left, are Ed Paziak, Beverly Mahe, Lou Scott, Mickey Revere, Ethel Breaux, past president and director; Fern Shaw, Royce Kaupp, Les Galivan, and Joe Servat, who also served as the installing officer. (Echo staff photo by Ellis Cuevas)



**AARP OFFICERS INSTALLED**—Joe Servat, right, hands a gavel to Donald Mauffray president of the Hancock County American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1114 at installation ceremonies held at the Waveland American Legion home. Servat, the installing officer is a former AARP state assistant director. Local AARP officers, from right, are Servat, director; Mauffray, president; Helen Rohrbacker, secretary; Joe Levy, vice president; and Dolores Ouder, treasurer. (Echo staff photo by Ellis Cuevas)





MICHELLE TODD

## Todd-Mabry

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nathan Todd of Pass Christian announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Michelle Lais Todd, to Mr. Thomas E. Mabry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Mabry of Pickins.

The wedding will be solemnized on February 25 in Bay St. Louis at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church at 7 p.m. A reception will follow the ceremony at the Pass Christian Yacht Club.

Miss Todd, whose mother is the former Sandra Lais, is a graduate of Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge where she received with honors a bachelor of science degree in international trade and finance. She was a member of Delta Zeta social sorority; Rho Lambda, an organization for outstanding Greek women; Mortar Board, a leadership organization; Omicron Delta Epsilon, economic honor organization; and Alpha Lambda Delta.

As a debutante, she was presented by the Gulf Coast Debutante Society and the Pass Christian Yacht Club. She plans to work in the international business community in Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Todd's maternal grandparents are Mrs. Ruth Lais Murphy and the late Mr. Frank Lais Jr. Her paternal grandparents are Mrs. Pauline Eppard of Marion, Ind., and the late Mr. Arlin Todd.

Mr. Thomas Mabry is a graduate of Mississippi State Uni-

versity where he received a bachelor of science degree in agronomy. Mr. Mabry's mother is the former Willese Burrell of Pickins. He is employed by Mobay Chemical Company in Arkansas.

Following their honeymoon, the couple will reside in West Memphis, Ark.

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## Ladner-Bourgeois

The home of Judge Joseph Dobson was the setting for the October 8, 6 p.m. marriage of Joanna Bourgeois of Lakeshore and Craig Ladner of Ansley.

The bride's parents are Mrs. Janice Mixon of Picayune and Mr. Joe Bourgeois of Kiln. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ladner Sr. of Ansley. The bride chose a tea-length beige lace open-back gown with satin ruffle on the sleeves

ending in a bow. The headpiece was attired in beige lace and pearls.

Angel Jackson of Bay St. Louis was maid of honor. She wore a pastel tea-length open-shoulder gown.

Roy Ladner of Lakeshore was best man.

A small reception with the wedding party was followed with a dinner at Robert's Reef.

The couple will reside in Ansley.

### Romantic composers featured

Romantic composers Gounod, Dvorak and Wagner are featured in performances by Mississippi musicians on the next edition of PRM's 'Mississippi Concert Hall,' Thursday, Dec. 29, at 9 a.m., with a rebroadcast Sunday, Jan. 1 at 1 p.m.

The Southern Arts Woodwind Quintet of the University of Southern Mississippi is joined by four additional USM student musicians in Charles Gounod's Petite Symphonie in B flat for Nine Wind Instruments.

Guest conductor Larry Newland leads the Jackson Symphony Orchestra in the Carnival Overture, opus 92, by Antonin Dvorak.

'Mississippi Concert Hall' is produced by William Fulton.

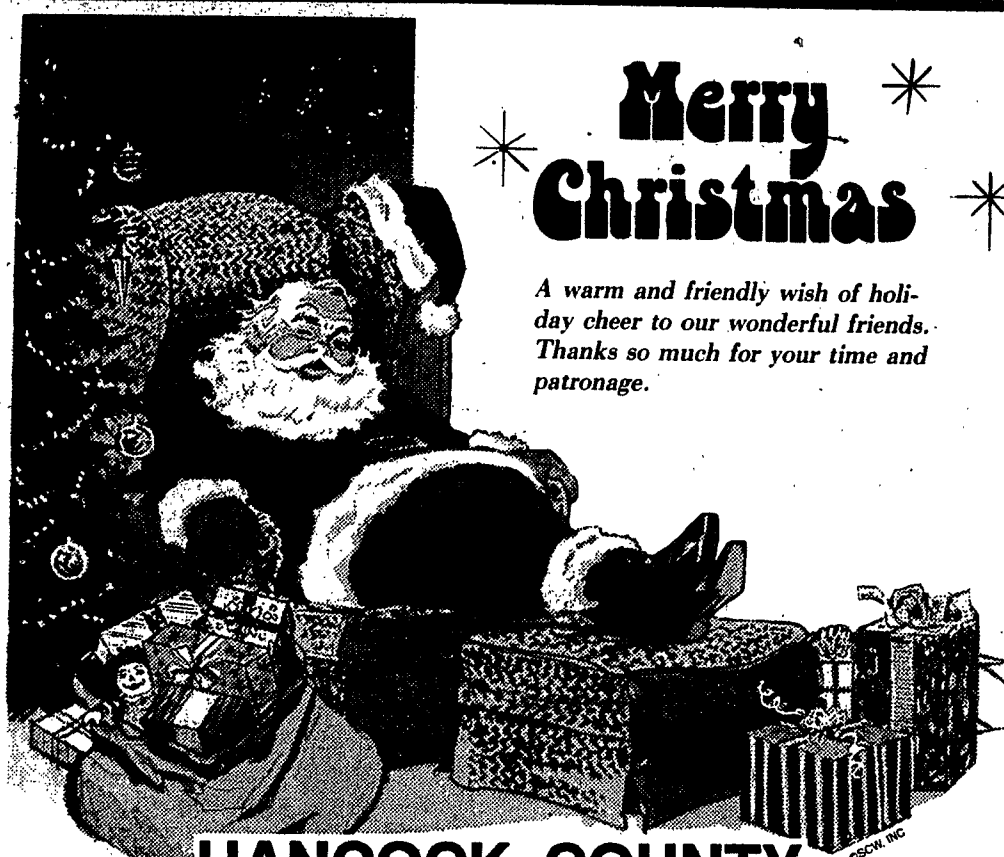
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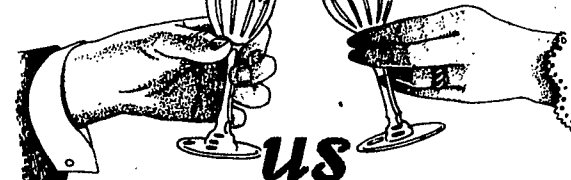
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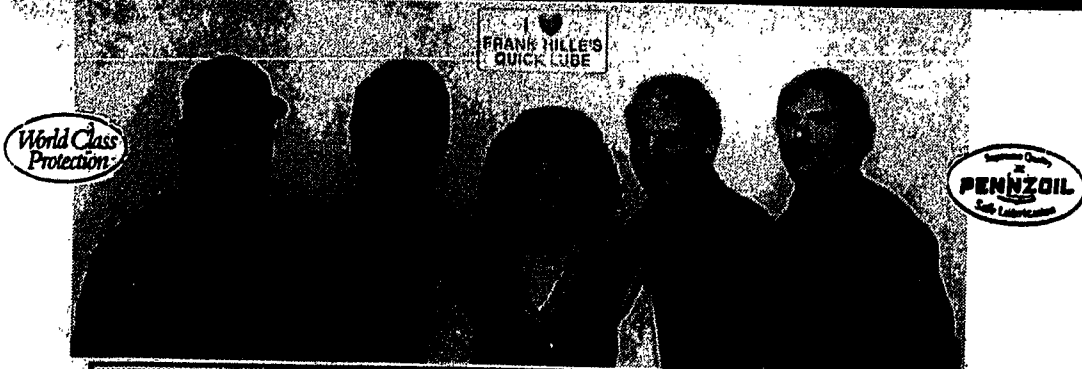
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## Smith-Ling

First Presbyterian Church of Bay St. Louis was the scene of the 7 p.m. candlelight, single-ring wedding of Kristin Ling to Robert Nolan Smith on Dec. 17, 1988, with the Reverend Richard Jones officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Edwin R. Ling Sr. of Waveland and the late Ingrid J. Ling.

The groom's parents are Robert N. Smith III of Columbus and Mrs. Margaret Smith of Quitman.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an ivory, tea-length gown of silk floss lace with a high collar edged in Venice lace, a traditional fitted bodice embroidered with seed pearls, and long tapered sleeves with calla points.

The slightly basque waistline gave way to a full circular skirt edged with Venice lace. She wore an ivory headpiece of matching lace traced with seed pearls with a fingertip veil of illusion.

She carried a semi-cascade bouquet of ivory silk poinsettias and stephanotis accented with holly and seed pearls with velvet ribbon streamers.

Lisa Vitatoe of Chattanooga, Tenn., attended the bride as maid of honor and Lorelei Ling Hanson served her sister as bridesmaid.

The overflaring church was adorned with white pointsettias and bows of magnolia and cedar.

Mark Stevens of Tupelo,

served the groom as best man and James Lee Spenser of Jackson was groomsmen.

E. Rodger Ling Jr., brother of the bride, and Brian Pund of Batesville, served as ushers.

The bridesmaids wore burgandy satin tea-length gowns in princess styling with sabrina necklines, with a petal effect at the shoulder, above long, tapered sleeves. The skirt was gently flared.

They each carried a single ivory poinsettia accented with pearls, holly and ivory velvet ribbons.

Organist for the ceremony was Jeanne Smith of Waveland and vocalist was Kathy Walley of Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Teresa Stevens read Corinthians 1:13.

The groom's mother's dress was of flowing, light lavender. The groom's grandmothers, Mrs. Mamie Ray Avera of Quitman and Mrs. Myrtle Smith of Mobile, Ala., were in attendance.

A reception followed in the reception hall at the church. The hall was candle-lit and decorated with cedar, white bows and magnolia, complementing the sanctuary.

Niccole Boden Schatz of Pass Christian attended the guest book.

Also assisting at the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Ling of Sun City, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kernohan of Shell Knob, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hilke of Placerville, Calif., Lt. Dan Adler of Phoenix, Ariz. Ms. Thea Levinhagen of New



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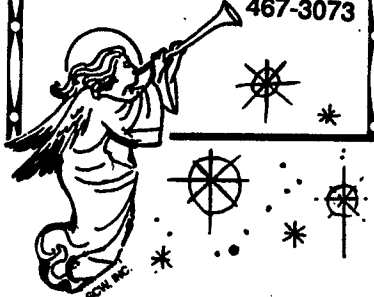
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## BIRTH

**ANTHONY JOSEPH BILBO**

Christine E. Bilbo of Bay St. Louis announces the birth of Anthony Joseph, December 13, 1988, at Shide Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces. Grandparents are Teddy and Darlene Bilbo of Bay St. Louis. Great-grandparents are Richard and Eunice Horrigan of New Orleans; and Lillian Carver and Pearl Bordon, both of Bay St. Louis.

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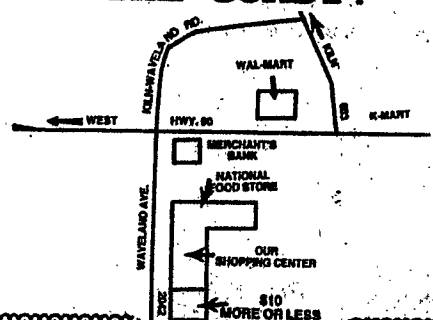
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**CHARITABLE WOMEN**—Hancock Women's Club President Lois Cripple, left, presents Lt. Raymond Cooper of the Salvation Army with a check, while Theda Fischer, right manager of the local Goodwill Industries receives one from club Secretary Theda Fischer. The club conducts various fundraisers during the year and donates the proceeds to charity. (Echo staff photo by D.C. Harvill)

## MILITARY MENTION

**SGT BLANCHARD**  
Staff Sgt. Michael P. Blanchard, son of Donald K. Blanchard of Bay St. Louis, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force electronic warfare counter-measures specialist course at Keesler Air Force Base.

Graduates of the course studied radar detection principles and electronic warning systems, and earned credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is a 1976 graduate of Booker T. Washington High School, Tulsa, Okla.



**NINTH BIRTHDAY**—Jeremy Manieri celebrated his ninth birthday Dec. 17 with family and friends at the Twin Pine Skating Rink. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Manieri Jr., grandson of Mrs. Bobbie Manieri and the late Donald C. Manieri Sr., and great-grandson of Mrs. Robert H. Coleman Sr. and the late Robert H. Coleman Sr., all of Bay St. Louis.

## Greetings

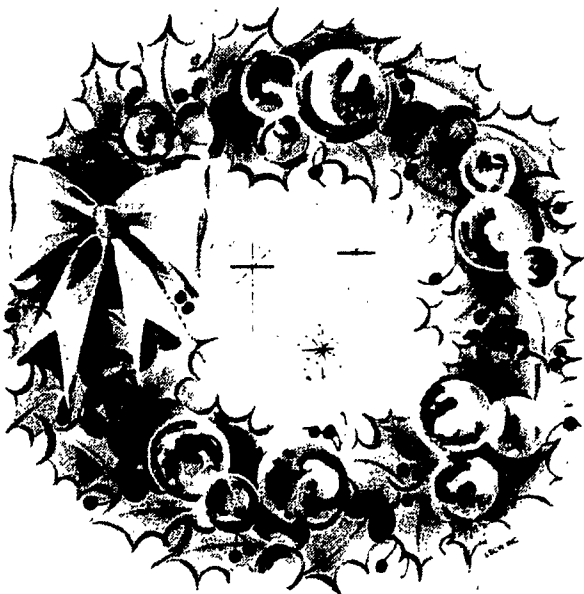
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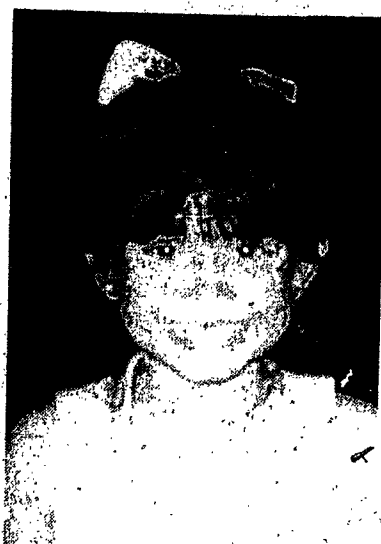
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**CHARITY BAR NONE**—Bay St. Louis firefighters collect stuffed animals from the claw machine at Dan B. Murphy's Bar in Bay St. Louis donated to the Hancock County Doll and Toy Fund by the bar's patrons. From left are Johnny Favre holding Danleigh Ramsel, Louie Decell of Dan B's, Louis Prendergast and Gail Roy, both of the Bay Fire Department. (Echo staff photo by D.C. Harvill)

## MPC reducing 1989 electricity costs

Mississippi Power Company customers are getting a Christmas present from the Gulfport-based utility—lower electricity costs to start the new year.

Residential customers will see a 3.5 percent decrease by the end of January with the cost of 1,000 kilowatt-hours dropping from \$60.15 to \$58.03, or a \$2.12 reduction.

"The decrease is the result of changes in fuel costs and in sales of electricity to other utilities," Alan Barton, company president said. "This is the sixth year in a row we have been able to reduce charges for fuel used to generate electricity."

Barton said with this reduction MPC has dropped electricity costs more than 11 percent since 1983.

The 3.5 percent overall reduction will come in two stages, with a 4.7 percent fuel decrease in early January and a 1.2 percent increase in late January. The increase is necessary because of a slight decline in electricity sales to other utilities which are used to offset ratepayer costs.

"We have been able to lower our fuel costs for the past six years by negotiating new coal contracts, improving efficiencies at our generating plants and lowering fuel transportation costs," Barton said. "These savings have been passed right along to our customers."

The fuel component of electric bills is adjusted each December for the coming year. The procedure, approved and audited by the state Public Service Commission, allows utilities to recover the cost of fuel burned to produce electricity.

MPC generates more than 90 percent of the electricity customers buy with coal, the cheapest fossil fuel available.

"This decrease means we will continue to have some of the lowest rates in the nation," Barton said. "But, even though we have been successful in reducing rates more than 11 percent in the last six years, we will con-

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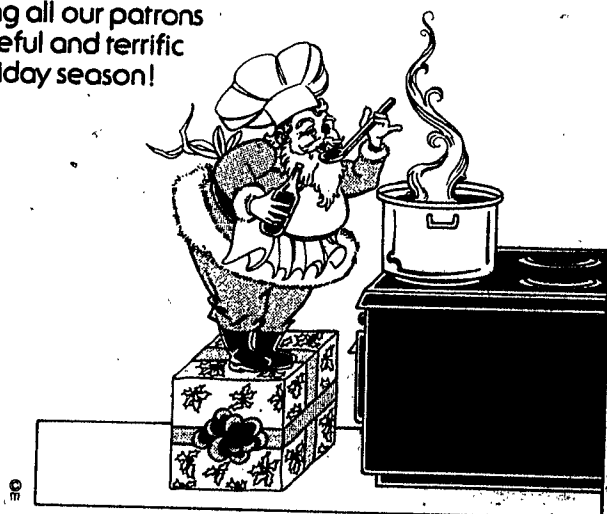
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The winners of 'The Team Contest' were Loraine Townsend, Reesie Ruspoli, Cindy Musser, Rose Jordan and Aubrey Mueller.

The club invites anyone interested in weight control to visit. The meeting is held every Tuesday at the Pass Christian Library on Hiern Avenue between 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

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### AIRMAN FRICKE

Steven R. Fricke, son of Robert L. and Cynthia F. Fricke of Rural Route 6, Bay St. Louis, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of airman first class.

Fricke is an air cargo specialist with the 62nd Aerial Port Squadron at McChord Air Force Base, Wash.

He is a 1985 graduate of Hancock North Central High School, Pass Christian.

### AIRMAN SWANIER

Senior Airman Cullen J. Swanier, son of Anne M. Swanier of Pass Christian, has been decorated with the Air Force Achievement Medal at Kelly Air Force Base, Texas.

The Achievement Medal is awarded to airmen for meritorious service, acts of courage, or other accomplishments.

Swanier is a telephone central office switching equipment specialist with the 1827th Electronics Installations Squadron.

His wife, Frieda, is the daughter of Sandy and Flossie Banton of Biloxi.

He is a 1978 graduate of Pass Christian High School.



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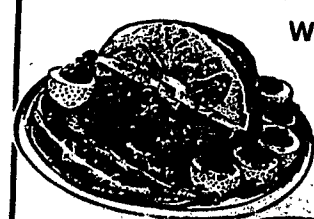
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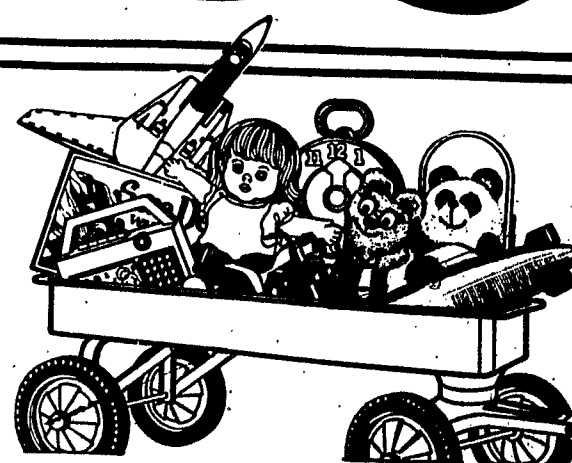
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HANCOCK COUNTY EXCHANGE CLUB member Camille Tate, right, presents the club's December Student of the Month Award to Deedra Foxworth. Foxworth is a senior at Hancock North Central High School. She was chosen by faculty members to receive the award because of her outstanding civic and scholastic achievement in the community. (Photo by Mike Scacewater)

## Holiday eating can be fun, even if you're a calorie counter

By Sharon Ward  
More people are interested in health and fitness these days, but holiday cooking tempts even those with the strongest will power.

There are ways to enjoy eating during the holidays while maintaining a healthy diet, a University of Southern Mississippi nutrition expert contends.

Cutting down on calories, fat, sugar and salt intake are excellent ways to keep nutrition in mind during the holidays, according to Dr. Kathleen Yadrick, an assistant professor of home economics at USM.

Using a traditional holiday menu, Yadrick outlined ways to keep food consumption to a reasonable level:

—Turkey (traditionally low in total fat and saturated fat) should be roasted, baked or broiled and the skin should be removed before eating to reduce fat. Choose plain rather than prebasted turkey and baste in cooking oil rather than butter. If ham is preferred, choose one labeled 'reduced fat and salt,' since it will contain 5-10 percent fat by weight compared to about 22 percent for other hams.

—Omit gravy if possible, but if the temptation is too great, reduce calories and fat by using one tablespoon of fat per cup of gravy. Substitute skim or non-fat dry milk for whole milk in cream gravies.

—Moisten bread dressing with turkey broth instead of butter or margarine.

—Flavor sweet potatoes with orange juice instead of adding extra fat and sugar in the form of butter marshmallows.

—Use herbs and a small amount of margarine to flavor vegetables instead of cooking with added fat.

—Make pumpkin pie with evaporated skim milk and egg whites or egg substitute products. This will reduce fat and cholesterol.

—Make flavored popcorns (sprinkle with parmesan cheese or soy sauce) and cereal snack mixes for munching. Quick breads like pumpkin bread and nut breads are also healthy alternatives to candy and cookies.

Yadrick said the amount of fat eaten also may be reduced by using non-stick pots, cooking without oil, buying lean meats trimmed of visible fat, refrigerating soups and stews and then skimming fat off the top before serving, buying low-fat dairy products, making salad dressing with small quantities of oil, and reducing the fat in recipes by one-third.

In addition, reduce sugar intake by buying more fresh fruits and vegetables for snacks, buying unsweetened juices or cereals and yogurts, making products with low-calorie sweeteners, cutting down on desserts and substituting with fruits, drinking fewer sugared soft drinks and reduc-

ing sugar in recipes by one-third.

Most importantly, health-conscious eaters can use every opportunity to substitute liquid vegetable oils or margarines in

recipes that require the use of fat. The oils, which are high in polyunsaturates, also can be used to brown meats or saute onions and vegetables for soups, Yadrick said.



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In conjunction with this program, HMC would like to offer free pap smear testing on Friday, Jan. 6. Tests will be given by appointment only.

For more information or to make an appointment, call Hancock Medical Center at 467-9081 ext. 2180.

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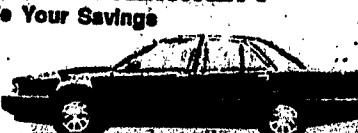
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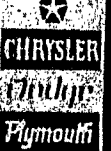
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## RELIGION

# Reflections

*Renew yourself daily*

By Father Jerome LeDoux

Psychologists have uncovered an interesting but troublesome phenomenon among married couples. The average married couple runs out of conversation material in about five years. After that relatively brief span of time, they suffer a lifetime of reruns.

Bleak is hardly harsh enough to describe the prospect of looking ahead to one's entire life shared with a companion who, for all practical purposes, is a deadbeat stick in the mud. Yet, that is exactly the case where spouses have nothing to talk about.

Since many marriages are saddled with such an unpleasant, dreary burden, it is not at all surprising that so many wives and husbands lose interest in each other and feel tempted to cast about for someone fresh, different and interesting, if not exciting.

Is it any wonder that any spouse should lose much of her/his attractiveness and charm if little or no effort is made to stay fresh in conversation, in interests, in manner, in sensitivity to constant change and to the momentary needs of each other?

There is a sure recipe for conjugal disaster wherever one spouse or, worse still, both spouses, pay no heed to what is happening in the world at large, in their environment or within the confines of their home and personal lives.

Thus are born many affairs which begin rather innocently in a friendly conversation which has little other initial attraction than a different topic, another

view, another insight, a fresh look at oneself, at other people and the world around us.

It does not take a genius to conclude that this one blight is more than enough to account for the beginning of many heart-breaks and for the eventual unraveling of many marriages. At this point, we must quit picking on the married and come to grips with the reality that our failure to renew ourselves is a basic culprit in many other wounded and failed human relationships.

In all relations, one of the primary casualties of failure to renew is interesting, engaging conversation. Conversation soon becomes hollow and repetitive where life and interests are not continually renewed. However, that is but the tip of the iceberg.

Relatives, in-laws, friends, co-workers and associates soon see that your empty conversations are just a symptom of a general bankruptcy of personality. Whatever has been attractive about you diminishes with every passing day and hour.

Beyond a doubt, if you let yourself go without constantly seeking to correct what is faulty about you and to update and improve what is good in you, you will go steadily downhill in conversation, in personality, and, more critically, in your very character.

So where should you begin? That may vary slightly for individuals, but your switch from Dullsville, U.S.A. to Interest City obviously depends on having a mind which is open, curious and searching. First and foremost, you need this attitude.

Next, through trial and error, you must find which vehicle(s) will be best suited to you for keeping your mind fresh, for culling the most useful information, and for challenging your wits.

Reading, especially selective reading, is the chief and perhaps best source of information and challenge for most people.

Conversations and discussions with knowledgeable and resourceful people run a close second and, at times, are even better.

Jesus, the Alpha and the Omega, put it to us directly: "See, I make all things new!" (Rev. 21:5) With the good News firing our lives, nothing should be exhausted in five years—or 1,000!

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Many people, for various reasons, hesitate to make a will. Many simply don't realize that, without a will, the state will provide for distribution of their assets. Without a will, there is the possibility that your possessions will not be distributed in a way you would choose.

The lack of a will can also have very serious consequences for the survivors. If you leave husband or wife and child or children, the estate will be divided between surviving spouse and children with spouse having a child's part.

If you leave husband or wife, no children but next of kin (father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, grandparents, uncle, aunt, cousin, etc.), surviving spouse takes all.

If you leave no husband, no wife, but one or more children, the estate is divided equally among the children.

If you leave no husband or wife, no children, but next of kin (father, mother, brother, sister, etc.), the estate is divided equally between father, mother, brother, sisters, and descendants of deceased brothers and sisters. Descendants of deceased brothers and sisters take deceased parents' parts.

If it is not your desire to have your worldly goods distributed in this way, a will becomes vital. Consider seeking legal counsel in preparing your will. An attorney can help you make better judgments, avoid some common pitfalls, and advise you on legal and tax problems of which you may not be aware. You can save time and money by being prepared for the meeting by making the following preparations:

1. List what you own (indicate how title is held) and the value.
2. State to whom you want what you own to go. Value of things may change. Consider percentage distribution rather than dollar distribution.
3. List debts you owe and debts owed to you.
4. Be specific about names, addresses, and relationship of persons named in your will.
5. Name an executor to manage your estate. Consider his

ability to manage financial affairs. You may also name an alternate executor in the event the primary executor is unable to serve.

6. Couples with children should name a guardian to care for their children and to manage their affairs in case both parents die in a common accident or other causes.

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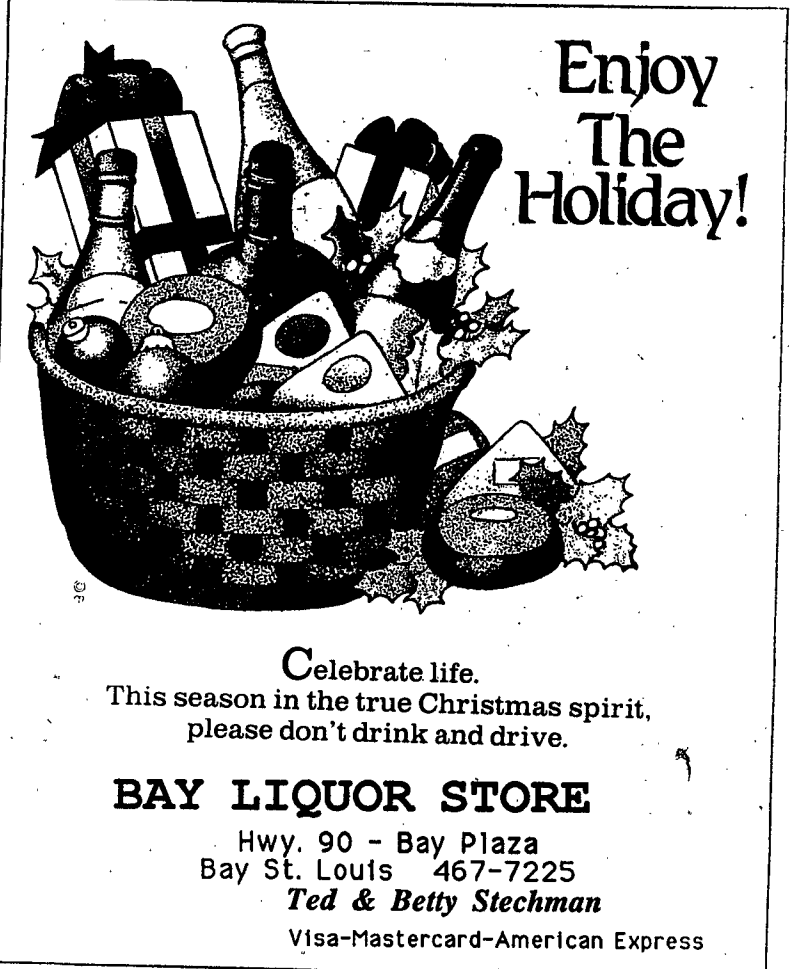
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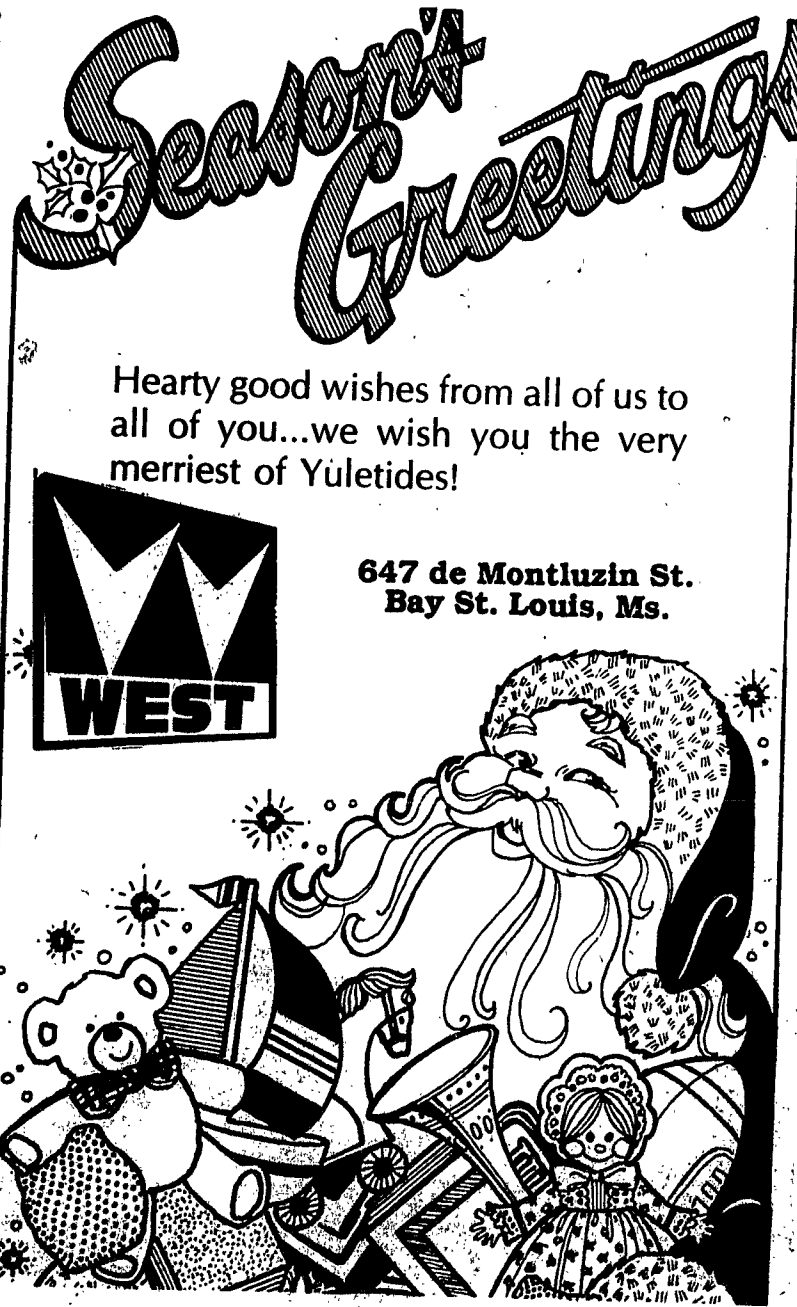
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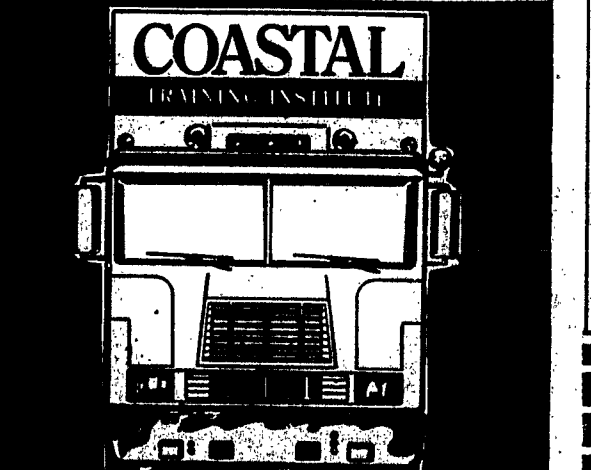
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## 147 Apartments for Rent

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VACANCY TRAILER SLOT available for any size mobile home. Ideal Trailer park, Ruella St., Bay St. Louis, Ms. 467-3264 or 467-4594 for more information.

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1984 FLEETWOOD 14 x 70, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central air. Assume notes. 255-9893 after 6.

FOR SALE: 1986 14 x 70 Fleetwood trailer on lot in Kiln, 1 bath, all electric. Assume notes. \$199.96. 467-6629.

FOR SALE: THREE LOTS, Shoreline Park with furnished house, deep well. \$15,000. 845-6522.

## 150 Unfurn. Houses for Rent

118 LAFITTE ST., Waveland, near beach, very special. Fenced, fireplace, 3 bedrooms 3 baths. 467-2057.

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath Waveland, \$225 per month 1 month deposit. 452-9302 or 467-5178 after 4 p.m.

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## 158 Commercial Property

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INVITATION FOR BIDS  
TREE PLANTING ON  
COUNTY SCHOOL LANDS  
Sealed bids will be received by the  
Superintendent of Education, Hancock  
County, at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, up  
to and not later than 5:30 p.m., January  
2nd, 1989, to be opened immediately  
thereafter for the job of tree planting on  
approximately 200 acres according to  
terms of the contract. The tree planting  
work will occur on land located within  
Section 16, Township 5 South, Range 14  
West, 16 acres, Section 18, Township 7  
South, Range 14 West, 6 acres, Section  
16, Township 9 South, Range 15 West, 4  
acres, Section 17, Township 9 South,  
Range 15 West, 100 acres, and Section  
23, Township 5 South, Range 15 West, 73  
acres, Hancock County, Mississippi.  
Before bids are submitted full information  
concerning this work may be obtained  
from the County Forester, Mississippi  
Public Lands Forester, Mississippi Forestry  
Commission, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi,  
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